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We have been in business nearly nealy years. Its getting time our failts were known. No man will say er are more anxious to collect premums than we are to settle losses when they occur.

#### Sick Headache Cured

Have you tried a pair of our easy wearing Zeigler stoes, they are foot

The One Day Cold Cure. Forcolds and sore throat use Kermott's Choco-less Laxative Quemoe. Easily taken as candy and quickly cure.

We can sell you a tooth trush guar-anteed not to shed the bristles for 35c. H. C. CRUTE, Druggist.

#### Question Answered.

Yes, August Flower still has the larg est sair of any medicine in the civilized world. Your mothers' and grand-mothers' never thought of using any-thing else for Indigestion or Bihous-Doctors were scarce, and they Prestration or Heart failure, etc. They used August Flower to clean out the system and stop fermentation of uneldom heard of Appendicitis, Nervous digested food, regulate the action of the liver, stimulate the nervous and organic action of the system, and that is all they took when feeling dull and bad with headaches and other aches. You Flower, in liquid form, to make you satisfied there is nothing serious the matter with you. For sale by H. C. of a heavier?

#### Does it Pay to Buy Cheap.

A cheap remedy for coughs and colds is all right, but you want something that will relieve and cure the more severe and dangerous results of throat and lung troubles. What shall you ty, Va. do? Go to a warmer and more regular climate? Yes, if possible; if not possible, then in either case take the ONLY remedy that has been introduced in all flammation, causes easy expectoration, gives a good night's rest, and cures the patient. Try one bottle. Recommend-

Millions will be spent in politics this ness, year. We can't keep the campaign going without money any more than we can keep the body vigorous with-out food. Dyspeptics used to starve radically cures stomach troubles.

Pratts Food for Horses, Cattle and Poultry. Kentucky Horse Tonic. H. C. CRUTE, Druggist. In this is

It will surprise you to experience the benefit obtained by using the dainty Drug Co.

"BLACK DEATH" Insecticide for sects that feed on trees or plants. H. C. CRUTE, Druggist.

Mothers endorse it, children like it, old folks use it. We refer to One Minute Cough Cure. It will quickly our all throat and lung troubles. Winston Drug Co.

New Crop Turnip Seed. H. C. CRUTE, Druggist.

# \$100 Reward \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least ne dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a con-stitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly apon the blood and inneous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the received this week: foundation of the disease, and giving Amount brought forward and the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for paid over to treasurer, J. F. Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

Hall's Family Pills are the best. The Norfolk and Western Railway was fined \$10 in the mayor's court Monday for fast running in the town. The company was represented by Judge Mann who asked for an appeal upon the ground that there was no record of the ordinance prohibiting fast running on the minute book of the council. The appeal was granted and the required bond executed.

Alice E. Paulett, Chinese are dangerous enemies, for Walter J. Burton they are treacherous. That's why all b. A. Armister counterfeits of DeWitt's Witch Hazel D. T. Davis,... J. A. Armistead, Salve are dangerous. They look like DeWitt's, but instead of the all-healing witch hazel they all contain ingredients liable to irritate the skin and cause blood poisoning. For piles, injuries and skin diseases use the original and genuine be Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Winston Drug Co

O Would you have the South shorn of ton Heights, its power at Washington? If so vote for McKinley.

#### BRIEFS AND PERSONALS.

sit in the shudow alone, sweetheart, ) our roses are scenting the air, And I dresso of our love-troth long ago thown in the garden there. Marigolds, bollyhocks, prince's feather, flowed low in the dim, soft light,

As under the willow tree by the gate

I kissed you, and said, "Good night,

Ab! sweetheart mine, with the pale, mute lips,
The clouds were dark and the skies were fair, But you forever were true, And now as I sit in the dark alone. I would give the world to know

The way through the years to that far-off Where simples for heartaches grow Love fades, they say, when the pulse is old, And I am three score and ien, But what I have learned with its bitter loss. Lies far beyond their ken; For tomorrow they hide you away sweet,

In the graveyard out of my sight, So I beap the roses tood's roses round you And kiss you and say, "Good night,

Monday next will be Prince Edward county court day.

Mr. John A. Scott, who has been quite sick, is greatly improved.

Miss Julia Guthrie, of Cumberland county, is visiting Mrs. E. L. Morris. Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Crowder, of Petersburg, are on a visit to our town.

Misses Birdie and Jessie Cox, of Richmond, are visiting relatives in town.

friends in Crewe. Pulaski, are visiting relatives and bacco, took occasion to discuss the all-

friends here. holiday in Elizabeth City, N. C., where He laid great stress on the necessity

a sister of her's resides. Mr. J. E. Garland entered upon the

court clerk, last Wednesday. We are indebted to Mr. Gent Barrow also to Mr. J. L. Blanton, of Cumber-

land, for nice watermelons. Miss Mary Finch, a very charming young lady of Goochland, has gone to persistently contended for, that as

enroute to Paris. They will be absent corn crops he impressed on his audiabout six weeks.

th header of Green's August from her garden and it kicked the gestions were on that line, though in beam at 23 ounces. Have you heard many particulars he agreed with the will follow.

Tom Harris, colored, a painter, well Fleming & Clark are showing a known to all Farmville, having been a resident here many years, died yesknown to all Farmville, having been terday morning after a short illness.

> 2nd, by Rev. Dr. Norman, Miss Fannie V. Blanton, of Cumberland county, and H. W. Shepard, of Buckingham coun-

were well worked they made a good work,

droy the germ disease, but allays in- held last Tuesday for the lack of a literature of our day. quorum. Four members of the council were absent from town and the R. Venable expressed the thanks of house for use of paupers. ed many years by all druggists in the sifth, Captain J. R. Martin, was con- all present, and then offered a resolufined to the house on account of sick- tion asking that Prince Edward's ed by the Board:

Mr. Amos, of Cumberland. It has the committee having charge of the of Supervisors, and whereas said Board themselves. Now Kodol Dyspepsia been rare this season that a good mel-cure digesis what you cat and allows on was seen, but these were in all reyou to eat all the good food you want. spects the equal of any we have had in surance that this would be done. favorable seasons, and by long odds the shapelicst and most delicious eaten Pennsylvania, a scholar and a farmer officer he was intelligent, careful, effi-

In this issue of the HERALD Messrs. Michie and Adams advertise their Labor Day excursion from Farmville to Richmond. We doubt not a large and famous little pills known as De Witt's Little Early Risers. Winston crowd will avail themselves of this opportunity for a pleasant and inexpensive trip to Richmond. As will be Tobacco and Cabbage Worms, and in- seen from their advertisement a number of interesting attractions will be the order of the day in Richmond.

# It Saved His Baby.

"My baby was terribly sick with the diarrhoea, we were unable to cure him with the doctor's assistance, and as a last resort we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, says Mr. J. H. Doak, of Williams, Ore "I am happy to say it gave immediate relief and a complete cure." For sale by Shorter & Terry, Darlington Heights.

# The Monument Fund.

names appear on the roll of honor among those that have made contribu- no "off years." tions to the monument fund, should

send them in promptly. The following contributions have been

9	Walton,\$	23 80
	Dr. H. E. Watkins,	1.00
	B. F. Coleman,	1.00
1	R. B. Hubbard,	1.00
	Mrs. E. R. Houston,	1.00
	W. J. Hillsman,	1.00
		1.00
	Dr. R. M. Smith,	*
	R. I. Orange,	54
	Bessie Gordon Jones,	127
	J. W. Womack,	27
	Pearl Anglea,	27
	Miss Carrie Noel,	127
	H. C. Kayton,	-01
	Mrs. H. C. Kayton,	2
	Aurelia S. Kayton,	10
ř	H. C. Kayton, Jr.,	10
	Archer V. Wade,	23
	Herbert Stokes,	- 56
	R. A. Allen,	23
	Miss Ann H. Gills,	437
n	Manage and the Country of the Countr	200

\$34.20 What most people want is something mild and gentle, when in need of a physic. Chamberlain's Stomach and physic. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets fill the bill to a dot. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect.

For sale by Shorter & Terry, Darling-HERALD and World only \$1.60.

#### The Farmers' Institute.

As previously announced in the columns of the HERALD, this body met in the Courthouse at Farmville, on last Friday at 10 a. m., and was promptly organized by the selection of Mr. J. X. Morton, as Chairman, and Mr. Jno. Gillam, as Secretary.

There were present from a distance Commissioner of Agriculture G. W. Koiner, Prof. S. Heiges and Mr. S. F. Barber, of Pennsylvania, and Mr. Barker, of Henry county, Va.

Judge Crute in a few well chosen words, made the speech of welcome, to which Commissioner Koiner appro priately responded. Without further preliminaries the business program was at once taken up, and Mr. L. B. Walthall, one of Prince Edward's most successful tobacco growers, read an interesting and instructive paper on the culture and curing of that, to this county, most important crop. He spoke from experience, was attentively listened to and no doubt gave useful suggestions to his brother farmers. He prefers to plant from the 1st to 20th of June, from 6 to 8 inches above the level of the ground, in rows running North and South, to house promptly, to cure carefully, handle thoughtfully, and from start to finish to manage well.

He was followed by Mr. Barker, one Miss Carrie Noel returned home on of the large and prosperous farmers of Tuesday last after a pleasant visit to Henry county, who, though introduced to talk with special reference to the Misses Ellen and Mattie Osborne, of growth and management of bright toround duties of farmers, and offered ad-Miss Mary Monden is spending her vice of most practical and useful kind. and value of divesified farming; said he never bought a bushel of corn or duties of deputy county and circuit bale of hay in his life and that the most effective method for the farmers to "fight trusts was to be sure to have enough to eat at home for man and beast." He emphasised the importance of the corn crop, and boldly affirmed, that which the HERALD has so Powhatan, after a brief visit to the good crops of corn can be raised on Prince Edward lands as on those of the Dr. W. E. Anderson and Mr. E. L. valley. Deep breaking up and then Morris sailed Saturday last for Bremau, reasonably shallow plowing for the ence. Mr. Barker has only grown Mrs. Geo. E. Cox weighed a tomato bright or fancy tobacco, and his sugviews of Mr. Walthall.

This Henry county farmer looks like a prosperous one, cheerful, hopeful, genial and a worker. He has no respect for the farmer afraid of cold or heat, too fond of the goods box in front impressed our people most favorably. Married in Durham, N. C., August of the store or of politics, nor for the man who doesn't lighten the household burdens of the good wife.

The dry spell was distressing and degrather the fruit and put it in reach of \$700.78. structive, but wherever the crops those who are to do the rest of the

At the close of his address, Major A.

claims for an Experimental Station

After dinner Prof. S. B Heiges, of caring for the orchard.

immediately around the body of the than great riches," tree, but in a circle covered by the allowed to be broken down with fruit, ily for their irreparable loss. but the fruit should be thinned by pulling. Forty apple trees to the acre, cultivated every year, but not in corn, rye, or any tail growth, and there should be a crop well nigh every year. Frost will sometimes kill, and rain will some-The children who desire to have their times drown out, but with these exceptions the crop should be certain, and

> Mr. S. F. Barber, also of Pennsylvania, then took up the subject of dairying, making a most sensible, practical

and interesting address. He has succeeded in the business because he has learned a good cow from a bad one, and knows how to care for with pleasure the development of his them. Clover hay is a pet grass with him, and a mixture of wheat bran with corn or oats he uses profitably.

The Institute was continued over from Friday and opened on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, Mr. W. A. Barrow making the first address.

He discussed the labor system, deprecated its failures and recommended submission to the edict of supreme love would not be so many "blue farmers." reforms. To employ hands only by and wisdom. Perchance: the year, only those who came endorsed by a reputable farmer, to divide labor into four grades and to ask for legislation to aid the farmers of the State in enforcing just and reasonable labor laws.

Commissioner Koiner followed with subject of fertilizers, in which he em- kind. phasised the fact that under the present State laws no farmer need buy a town paper and sent to the family.

Wasteless manure, and that be held RALEIGH C. GILLIAM, EDGAR T. HINES, himself in readiness to give such information as would protect them,

Prof. Heiges was introduced again and gave a practical talk on the ene- Masonic building at the corner of Main mies to orchard life, dividing them and Second streets. When completed into two classes, insects and fungi. it will be one of the handsomest struc-The one he would treat with a copper tures on our Main thoroughfare.

wire, the other with approved sprays.

Mr. T. O. Sandy, one of our successaudience to discuss the general farmer, and read one of the most sensible and

nure pile was the farmer's best friend," great surprise to those attending him, and proceeded to say that without as it was believed the crisis had been stock there could be no manure pile, safely passed. He was a young man and since the farmer must keep stock it was wise to keep the very best.

He incidentally remarked that he had made 17 tons of ensilage to the that the feed for hogs was clover in the from 15th of August to 30th of October corn feeding time, which was in Dehis paper Mr. Sandy was liberally applauded. He is no stranger to the readers of the HERALD, as our correspondent has been to his farm and given detailed account of its management. And by the way, in closing, he gave a general invitation to visit him at his day afternoon at half par: 4 o'clock, nome and examine into his methods.

At 2 p. m. the Institute was again in ession, when Mr. Barber examined different specimens of milk by the Babcock test, and then gave a practical talk on the building of silos, feeding cows and fattening pigs. He has his pigs ready for market at six months old and to weigh 200 pounds. Of course he makes some money.

This closed the business program, but before adjourning Mr. W. A. Barrow offered resolutions of thanks to ed to serve next term, Commissioner Koiner and his associates, Judge Crute, for his address of welcome, and to the citizens of Farmville for courtesies received.

And then a resolution empowering the Chairman to appoint a committee of five to present the claims of Prince Edward to the committee having in charge the selection of a site for a test farm in the tobacco section of Virginia. This committee is composed of Major A. R. Venable, Judge A. D. Watkins, W. A. Barrow, Jno R. Morton and Wm, Garden.

There was not so large attendance of farmers upon the sessions of the Institute as was expected, but there were representative farmers from every section of the county, and good results

fight trusts is to raise enough to eat at

He believes in home canning, but last Friday every member was present, lutention of excluding other good citihas contempt for the man who won't Accounts were allowed aggregating Zens.

On motion the matter of building a bridge over Spring Creek, between T. 

It was ordered that a four room frame dwelling be erected at the poor

The following resolutions were adopt-

Whereas the late W. H. Thackston, We were treated yesterday to four of with special reference to tobacco cul- as clerk of the courts of Prince Edward the famous Carter melons, raised by ture should be properly considered by county, was ex-officio clerk of the Board death:

Therefore, be it resolved, that as an of practical experience, addressed the cent, industrious and obliging; as a meeting on the mode of planting and citizen, loyal and patriotic; as neighbor and friend generous and true. Posses-As to position he prefers upland to sing by inheritance and training the lowland, and recommended a South- highest qualities of a refined and culern exposure until Major Venable re- tured gentleman, he loved what was minded him that the Northern was good and scorned what was mean, pest for this section, and having heard His life was an example of honor, duty the reasons of the Major agreed with and truth. Such a man, though dead, him. He recommended land not too yet liveth, not only as a sweet memory rich, but believes in keeping the trees in the hearts of his fellow citizens, but well worked and well manured, prefer- as a perpetual illustration of the truth ing barn yard manure, and not placed that "a good name is more to be desired

Resolved, That this Board doth exdrooping limbs. Trees should not be press its deep sympathy with his fam-

Resolved, That an engrossed copy of these resolutions be signed by the chairman and each member of this Board, and delivered to his sister, Miss Ida Thackston.

# OBITUARY.

ter, Phi Sigma Delta Fraternity, de-siring to express our grief at the death of our noble brother, Albert Percy Baldwin, and our appreciation of his high character, unanimously endorse ed a committee to present this matter

the following resolutions: 1st, As a charter member we have known and loved our departed brother | time, since our organization, and as the years character, his splendid social and business qualities, and his correct moral and christian life we had learned more and about to get away with the farmers of

more to admire and love him, 2nd. That while we cannot possibly, with our eyes suffused with tears, see through the mysterious Providence which calls one away who was just fairly entering upon life, with youth, a chosen loved one and a bright outlook lieve if we all had that feeling there

"We'll catch the broken threads again, And finish what we here began; Heav'n will the mysteries explain, And then, ah then, we'll understand."

3rd. That we extend to his parents, brothers and sisters, and also to his sadly bereaved companion our loving sympathy, while we commend them to the keeping of the Father of us all who an admirable address on the general is "too wise to err, too good to be un-

4th. That a copy of these resolutions be spread on our records, printed in our

Fraternity's Committee.

Work is progressing fast on the

#### Death of Mr. Percy Baldwin.

The sad intelligence of the death of extended trip to Crewe, Jetersville, Mt. ful farmers, was then presented to the Mr. Albert Percy Baldwin was re. Bush and other places. or all-round farming in this section, friends here Sunday. He died at his the guests of Mrs. Charlie Redd this many knew him, not only on College ceived as a great shock to his many home in Manchester after an illness of week. practical papers of the entire meeting. four weeks from typhoid fever. The He began by saying that the "ma- fatal termination of the disease was a of exemplary habits and but 23 years of age.

Mr. Baldwin was a native of Buckingham county and a son of Mr. and acre at the cost of 75 cents a ton, and Mrs. R. A. Baldwin, of Farmville. He went to Manchester to reside a year or spring, green corn in summer, peas two ago and with his brother, Mr. H. V. Baldwin, engaged in the dry goods and then turnips and artichokes until business. He made friends rapidly wherever he went, and was as popular cember. At the close of the reading of in his new home as he was here. Not many months ago be matried Miss Alvia Owens, of Manchester, and is survived by his wife, his parents, five brothers and five sisters.

The funeral took place from the Methodist church, of Farmville, Tuesconducted by the pastor, Rev. Joshua Hunter, assisted by Rev. Dr. Harding and Rev. S. H. Thompson. The remains were interred in the Farmville cemetery, with members of his fraternity. Phi Sigma Delta, acting as pall bearers.

#### Teachers Elected.

At a meeting of the Farmville District School Board, held August 10th, 1900. The following teachers were elect-

School No. 1-Dr. R. M. Smith, Principal; Miss Fannie Smithson, Miss Maude Gray, Miss Louie Morris. School No. 2-W. H. Coleman, Prin-

cipal; Mrs. E. F. McDaniel, Mrs. E. D. Anderson, Miss Hattie Branch. School No. 3-Miss Ida M. Singleton,

School No. 4-A. W. Lancaster. School No. 5-Vacant. School No. 6-Miss Kate Fountain,

School No. 7-Mrs. A. R. Lee. Term for No. 1 to commence, September 13, 1900. Term for Nos. 2, 3, 4, 6 and 7, October 1, 1900.

See the School advertisement in another column of this paper.

#### Turn on the Lights.

Editor Herald:--As chairman of the meeting of the citizens of Prince Ed-ward held on August 4th, at Worsham, Let farmers all remember the words of farmer Barber: "The best way to ment made in your last paper that you home," and good results must of ne-cessity follow. Commissioner Koiner present that the proceedings should be published. No one was excluded from the meeting. Other professions besides farmers were present and took part in the proceedings. This meeting was At the regular monthly meeting of the Prince Edward Supervisors held the proceedings. This meeting was called by the "Farmers Union," of Rice, but they disclaimed having the

Yours truly, J. R. MORTON. The above from Chairman Morton is published with pleasure. The HERALD force is so absorbed with office work that it cannot always afford representatives at meetings held in places outside of Farmville, and is forced to rely, generally upon secretaries of such meetings, for authentic reports.

This we tried honestly to get this time, and from Mr. W. L. Clark, the secretary. He refused positively to furnish it, though he did hand in a resolution of respect to the late W. H. To whom could we have gone save to Mr. Clark who was the custodian of the record? It would have been guess work from any other source, and the HERALD prefers to be accurate in making such reports. We regret that Mr. Clark, an intelligent and responsible gentleman, should have so misunderstood the "general wish of all present" as to have kept from the public, at least through the columns of the HERALD, important a county meeting, but hav. to talk convincingly or hear profitably ing tried honestly to secure it, is not "Turn on the light."

Superintendent Garden Endorsed. MILLBANK, VA., August 13, 1900. Editor Herald:-At the annual meeting of the School Board of Prince Edward held August 6, 1900, our worthy county superintendent of schools, Mr. Thos. J. Garden, who has held the position of superintendent for 12 years, and We the members of the Alpha Chap- as far as I know given entire satisfaction, was heartily endorsed for reappointment. Messrs. J. R. Morton, T. before the electoral board at the proper J. R. MORTON.

# Felden Facts.

Felden, Va., August 16, 1900. this vicinity. A great complaint of dry weather, though one old gentleman was heard to remark a few days lieve if we all had that feeling there

There are very few watermelons and comparatively few vegetables to be found in this neighborhood,

There was a "genuine old hayride" given by Mr. Eddie Rucker in honor of the Misses Clarke, of Lynchburg, (who are now visiting his home) on Friday night. The party consisted of ten, the night was an ideal one and with four good mules the young people went about ten miles, storming Hampden-Sidney as they passed. Next Mon-

Misses Maymie McCraw and Eddie | Co.

Keeton have returned from quite an

Norfolk where she spent most of the the road daily for several years.

There will be quite a number of visi-Lynchburg.

from a ten days visit to friends at Meherrin, Va.

the place of our pastor, Mr. Franklin, while he is in Paris. Everyone seems delighted with Mr. Dixon's services,

#### Buckingham Budget.

SHEPPARDS, VA., August 14, 1900. There was a much smaller crowd in attendance at last Buckingham court than is usual at the August term.

There was little or no business before the Court and but for the political speeches and the horse trading everything would have been dull indeed.

After dinner a stand was erected on the shady side of the courthouse and Hon. H. D. Flood, nominee for Congress for the 10th District, and Hon. E. W. Hubard and Judge Alex. S. Hall addressed the people on the political issues of the day. A noticeable feature of the speaking was the large number of colored people present and the respectful attention they paid to the speeches.

Mr. Flood's majority is predicted as anywhere from 2,000 to 3,000 in the District.

The New Store people had the pleasure of attending a circus at that place last Tuesday. It is needless to say they enjoyed theirselves. Farmers in our vicinity, like those

beginning to feel despondent on account of the drought. But "while the earth remaineth, seedtime and harvest shall not fail," is the promise. Our people sympathise deeply with Mr. R. A. Baldwin and family in their

everywhere in Southside Virginia, are

his old home in Buckingham. Married July 26, 1900, at Barnwell, S. C., Mr. Wm. H. Jones and Miss Laura Bellinger. Mr. and Mrs. Jones visited Lynchburg, Washington, Richmond and other places of Interest and pent a few days in Buckingham couny before returning to their home in South Carolina. Mr. Jones is principal

of the Barnwell (S. C.) school, Mr. P. F. Jones, of Richmond, also spent a few days with his relatives in

ur county last week. Miss Virginia Gilliam, of Richmond, is at home on a visit.

attended the tent meetings at White R. Wood last week. Hall the past week, Dr. L. D. Jones has returned to his

Buckingham folks. Thackston which was passed by that which caused him much pain, last Petersburg, is visiting there. Mr. M. D. Gannaway had an accident meeting, and which it was the pleasure of the Herald to give to the public. which caused him much pain, last week. He was felling a small tree which causely his left foot in some way which caught his left foot in some way

and crushed two of his toes, I hear some talk of "a syndicate" of northern sportsmen who want to purchase 10,000 acres of Buckingham lands for a hunting ground. It ought not to be hard for them to get it and more too.

# Arcanum.

At August county court on Monday, hard cider, politics, and watermelous had the day. Our next Congressman what that "general wish" desired the and Messrs. E. W. Hubard and expublic to know. The HERALD felt the Judge Hall opened the campaign in loss of a full and accurate report of so Buckingham. It is altogether too hot this torrid weather. Our Harry talked feeling the pangs of self reproach. till floods of perspiration rolled down his cheeks. With cravat and collar off, that usually immaculate shirt front of be cured by a few applications, of his looked like yesterday's towel, and Chamberlain's Pain Balm. For sale by those raven curls lay straight as though he had been surf-bathing. Could the girls of Buckingham and Appomattox have seen him, they would not have recognized their adonis, their beau-

ideal of the perfectly dressed man. Keep quiet, Harry, until old Virginia slips back again into the temperate zone, and then we will all go to work and roll you up the biggest majority that your fondest hopes entertain, and with Bryan as President and yourself in Congress, our friend E. W. H. must go to some English city as consul, where, by his ever ready tongue, he will so advertise the attractions Virginia offers that probably thousands from that over-crowded isle will emigrate hither and fill up our waste places.

The County School Board met in annual session, and made settlement on the treasurer and found the year's accounts all O. K.

The district clerks made reports of OUR BUSINESS their census returns. Two districts only show an increase in school population, to-wi\*: Francisco 39 and Canton 19, Curdsville, Courthouse, Slate River and James River districts fall short from 15 to 90 of school population as compared to census of 1895. Total decrease in whole of county about 150.

The annual ten days outing at White Hall terminated on Tuesday night. "Praise God from whom all blessings H. of B.

In India, the land of famine, thousands die because they cannot obtain food. In America, the land of plenty many suffer and die because they cannot digest the food they eat. Kood for the past week, left Wednesday for Pampiin City to attend the "big picnic" to be given there Thursday.

Misses Maymie McCraw and Edda.

### The Death of Tom Cralle.

HAMPDEN-SIDNEY, VA., Aug., 13. Misses Cornelia and Mattie Jones are sorrow of Tom Cralle's death; and All who knew him will learn with Hill but in Farmville as well, for in Miss Antysh Allen has returned from his calling of carrier, he had been on

The youngest son of our trusty hackman, Walker Cralle, he was his father's tors in this neighborhood during the assistant in his business, and bore a Presbytery. Among those expected name for honesty, steadiness and attenare: Miss Martina Gallagher, Miss tion to duty that made him the old May Priddy, Meherrin, Va.; Miss Bes- man's pride. Although twenty-three sie Calhoun, Wythe county Va.; Miss years old he had never been from home Estelle Chappell, Smithville, Va.; for a single night, except in his father's Messrs, Frank Peatross and Epps company, and found his couch as reg-Carter, of Danville, Va.; Benny Lee, ularly when his day's work was done of Norfolk, Va.; Misses Clarke, of as that work was regularly and faithfully discharged. Quiet, respectful, Miss Ruby Ranson has returned doing his duty always as if duty and pleasure were one. In his illness he was still serene and cheerful when his Mr. West Dixon, a graduate of friends were most alarmed, being sus-Hampden-Sidney college, is supplying tained with that hopefulness which embraced not only a prospective recovery, but who looked calmly at the other alternative as a change which could still bring him nothing but good. Though his lot was humble his life and death are a worthy example to all, and long will he be remembered by those who watched him on his daily round and saw him still pursuing the eyen tenor of his blameless life.

He died Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, and was buried Sunday afternoon. The president of the college preached the funeral services in words so appropriate and impressive that the dullest and the most careless must have gone away with self-questionings and the desire to lead a better life.

### News From the Heights.

DARLINGTON HEIGHTS, VA., 1 August 13, 1900. Mrs. Robt, Womack and son, of Richmond, are visiting friends and relatives

near here. Mr. W. Casper Hunt and wife, of Richmond, are on a visit to Mr. George Hunt and relatives.

Mrs. Royelle Watkins, who has been teaching vocal and instrumental music, will leave today for Crewe. Mrs. T. P. Singleton invited the young people to her house on the 11th to tea. We all enjoyed ourselves very

much. The entertainment consisted

of instrumental music by Mrs. Wat-

kins, Mr. Norvell Crute and sister, and an elegant supper. The home of Mr. W. J. Foster has been made bright by the appearance of bereavement. Percy was a favorite at a bright 12 pound baby girl.

> Miss Zaida M. Hunt had a severe fall from a hammock, but is improving fast. Hon, R. M. Burton passed through

ast week on business. Rev. R. W. Cridlin, of Burkeville; Miss Ella Wilkerson, of Brookneal, and Misses Emma and Lou Spencer, of Keysville, have been through this neighborhood in the interest of their several schools for young ladies. It must be best for the lassies to go off to school but hate to see some of them

leave. Mr. and Mrs. Don P. Halsey, of Quite a lot of our young folks have Lynchburg, were on a visit to Mrs. E.

Mrs. N. T. Dillon has invited the young people to her house tonight. home in Missouri after a visit to the Don't know what will be the style of entertainment, but know we will have a nice time. Miss Celia Hawkins, of

Childrens Day was observed at Buffalo Sunday. Everything passed off nicely, which showed good training on the part of teacher and scholars.

Rain, Rain is the cry among the

neighbors, the crops are suffering very

much. Picnics seem to be the order of the day, there will be three within a few miles of this place in the next few Miss Julia Goodwin, of Amherst, is spending her vacation from teaching

with Mrs. E. S. Womack and Mrs. T. P. Singleton. Mr. Mace Gilliam, of New York, is on a visit to his father, Mr. Rice Gil-

liam, near Five Forks. A lame shoulder is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles, and may Shorter & Terry, Darlington Heights.

Triplets were born to a fond father

in St. Louis, recently, and he prompt-

ly named them William, Jennings and

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